

Math and Literacy Game Night

Timnath Elementary School

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In order to encourage students and families see the fun in learning, Timnath Elementary School conducted a Math and Literacy Game Night. More specifically, the goal of the event was to provide parents with ideas about how to reinforce math and literacy skills at home, primarily through playing games.

Timnath staff invited all students K-5 to attend the evening with their families. Math and Literacy Game Night begins with attendees visiting the Timnath Book Fair. After dinner and an overview of the evening, families spent an hour visiting different classrooms in the school to play a variety of math and literacy games.

Each grade level team provided games to play:

Kindergarten

Math Game- Play a game to practice finding the ways to make 10.

Literacy Game- Practice reading cvc words with a fun customizable game you can take home.

First Grade

Squish- A fun card game to practice short vowel words or sight words.

Rekenrek- A visual model for students to practice their mathematical skill to 20.

Second Grade

Literacy-Families can get creative with storytelling.

Math- Race to 100, a fun dice game that can be adapted to any age. Make My Number, strengthen math facts.

Third Grade

Pictionary-Students use the classic game of Pictionary to strengthen vocabulary development. This game can also be played as charades!

Top It- Practice multiplication fact fluency using a deck of cards and a partner.

Fourth Grade

Math Game-"Write the Equations" Multiplication Game- use playing cards to create and solve math facts.

Literacy Game-Stories can be made with many authors in this fun oral story game.

Fifth Grade

Math Game-Dice Multiplication War, Dominos as decimals, Fact Slap w/ Flash Cards.

Literacy Game-ABC Story/Sentence, Scategories, Balderdash.



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